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The Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences returned this Application to the Examiner on February 10, 2010. A review of the Application revealed that it is not ready for docketing as an appeal for the following reasons:

The Appeal Brief dated July 9, 2009 filed by the Appellant is not in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 41.37(c) effective September 13, 2004 because the "Summary of claimed subject matter" appearing on pages 2-3 of the Appeal Brief filed July 9, 2009 is deficient because it does not refer to the Specification for independent claims 1 & 5.

An entire new brief need not, and should not, be filed. Rather, a paper providing a summary of the claimed subject matter as required by 37 C.F.R. § 41.37(c)(1)(v) will suffice. Failure to timely respond to the Office's requirement will result in dismissal of the appeal. See MPEP § 1215.04 and § 711.02(b).

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